

CONSULS TO HOLD MEETING

All American Consuls in Chief Cities of Northern Mexico Summoned to Meeting With the Idea of Providing Closer Working Agreement.

State Department Wants to Know First Hand of the Feeling in Mexico.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, May 18. — American consuls and vice-consuls at Chihuahua, Juarez, Nogales, Durango, Aguascalientes and Monterey have been ordered to El Paso to confer with Major General Funston.

It was announced that the purpose is to provide closer co-operation between the American civil and military authorities in watching developments in the border region; but it may have a bearing on the ultimate withdrawal of American forces.

The Government is depending on the consuls for information of the progress of the Carranza Government in controlling the situation, upon which entirely depends the time of the withdrawal of General Pershing's forces.

Consul Fletcher, of Chihuahua, probably will later come to Washington to make a report.

The State Department is determined to secure information at first hand on the attitude of Mexican citizens toward the punitive expedition and on other conditions in Northern Mexico, it became very evident today.

HOW'S THIS?

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Columbus, N. M., May 18. — The Carranza garrison at Ascencion, under Colonel Saamez, is moving south along the American line of communication, ostensibly to El Valle. No reason was assigned here today for the movement.

Reports from the field indicated that General Pershing's expeditionary command is experiencing a shortage of soap, but otherwise is well rationed and equipped.

AMERICAN BOY WILL BE FREED

State Department Secures Release of American Lad in Dublin.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
New York, May 18. — Luke Kilgallon, of Long Island, was notified today by the State Department at Washington that his son, aged 23 years, under arrest in Dublin on a charge of participating in the Sinn Fein revolt, would soon be released.

ROME ASKS

(Associated Press Cable)
London, May 18.—Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary, announced in the House of Commons today that the Government had been informed by Sir Henry Howard, British Minister at the Vatican, that representations have been made to Germany by the Vatican with the view to inducing Germany to abandon submarine warfare.

Young Kilgallon was a student in the school conducted by Patrick H. Pearse, the "president" of the "Irish Republicans," since executed.

The boy and a number of fellow students were enlisted in a cadet company by the Sinn Fein leaders, but they were kept in ignorance of the purpose for which they were being trained, it is said.

The father has been informed that a cable message has been received in Washington from the American Embassy in London, saying that all of the cadets are expected to be given their freedom.

PLAN TO RETIRE ADM'L FLETCHER

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, May 18.—Plans for the reorganization of the Atlantic fleet, which will be announced shortly by Secretary Daniels, include the retirement of Admiral Fletcher as commander-in-chief.

Vice Admiral Henry T. Mayo, now commander of the First Division of the fleet, will succeed Admiral Fletcher as commander-in-chief.

Admiral Fletcher automatically returns to the line rank of rear admiral and will be assigned to important strategic work.

Rear Admiral Dewitt Coffman, one of the division commanders of the fleet, will become Vice Admiral. All changes become effective June 19th.

NO JURY IN ORPET CASE YET

State Will Attempt to Show Victim Familiar With Poisons.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Waukegan, Ill., May 18. — A hint that the defense might undertake to prove in the trial of William H. Orpet, University of Wisconsin student accused of the murder of Marian Lambert, that his alleged victim was familiar with poisons, was seen today when it was said that the records of the chemistry class in the Deering high school showed that the girl's last lesson there was on the subject of quick acting poisons, among them the one which caused her death.

Little progress was made toward obtaining a jury today. Man after man examined said he had fixed opinions regarding the case.

MAIL ARRIVES FROM THE STATES



Photo by American Press Association.

The United States soldiers in Mexico anxiously await the "next mail," which sometimes arrives by aeroplane. When it does come letters from home and newspapers with the "war news" receive undivided attention.

"RECRUIT" STRENGTH TO LIMIT

Adjutant General Hough of Ohio Is in Receipt of Orders to Bring National Guard to the Full Peace Strength.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., May 18.—Orders to "recruit your commands up to the maximum strength allowed when the country is not at war" were issued today by Adjutant General B. W. Hough to all company, battery and troop commanders of the Ohio National Guard.

Commanders were also directed to secure, "as expeditiously as possible," volunteers lists of desirable men for use if necessity arises to recruit the guard to full war strength.

The present strength of the guard is 8,000 officers and men, and compliance with today's orders will augment that number by 1300 men, it was announced.

CLAIMS SHIP SUNK

(Associated Press Cable)
LONDON, MAY 18. — LLOYDS ANNOUNCES THAT THE FRENCH STEAMER MIRA HAS BEEN SUNK. THE ANNOUNCEMENT GIVES NO FURTHER DETAILS OF THE SINKING.

U. S. GOVERNMENT IS GETTING BUSY

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Toledo, May 18. — Indictments charging many violations of interstate traffic regulations were returned today by the federal grand

jury against three railroads and the Kelley's Creek Colliery company, of Ward, West Virginia.

The railroads are accused of storing coal in cars for shippers against whom no demurrage charges were made.

The colliery company is charged with accepting free storage concessions from the Kanawha & Michigan railroad.

The penalty which can be assessed on each count is a fine of from \$1,000 to \$2,000, if convictions are secured.

ASQUITH CONFERS WITH LEADERS

Travels From Dublin to Cork Seeking Sense of the Masses.

(Associated Press Cable)

Dublin, Ireland, May 18.—Premier Asquith left here this morning for Cork, where he will arrive this afternoon.

He is expected to hold several conferences with Nationalist leaders, in the south of Ireland, after which he will return to Dublin.

DID YE EVER? ENTER CASSEL FOR SENATOR

New Candidate Claims the Serum Trust "Cleaned Up" \$1,000,000 in Foot and Mouth Disease Scare.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., May 18.—Accompanying his declaration of candidacy with a number of newspaper clippings, in which he was quoted as claiming "the serum trust" fraudulently realized \$1,800,000 in last year's epidemic of foot and mouth disease in Ohio, E. E. Cassel, of Butler, Richland county, today "weighed in" at the office of the Secretary of State as a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States Senator.

THREE SHOT IN RIOTING

Report That Strike Breakers Were Coming Incited Rioters to Fury.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Ansonia, Connecticut, May 18.—Three men were shot, one probably fatally, in a riot today at the plant of the Ansonia Manufacturing Co., where 150 to 200 men are striking.

One man was shot through the lung and taken to the hospital in a serious condition. The other two were less seriously wounded.

The strikers are said to have been aroused by a report that strike-breakers were being brought into town.

They marched to the factory and began throwing stones through the windows of the factory building.

SOME PRUNING IS RECOMMENDED

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Washington, May 18. — The House Naval Committee today voted to abandon the five year building program recommended by Secretary Daniels and to build only five battle cruisers, no dreadnaughts and 25 submarines by the current naval bill.

The committee unanimously adopted a resolution authorizing the President, upon conclusion of the European war to invite the world powers to a conference to frame a court of arbitration, or other body for peaceful settlement of all disputes between nations and appropriating \$200,000 for this purpose.

NIX ON BOOZE

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Steubenville, O., May 18. — Officials of the Steubenville, Wellburg & Western Railway Company have announced that, beginning today, passengers from Steubenville bound for West Virginia destinations will not be permitted to carry a package containing more than one half a gallon of intoxicating liquor.

They said this action was necessary because passengers have been carrying so many packages of wet goods that regular patrons of the line have been greatly inconvenienced.

AUSTRIANS OFFENSIVE IS PUSHED

Italy Admits Having Fallen Back in the Southern Tyrol Before New Onslaught.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, May 18.—The Austrian offensive on the Italian front is being pushed vigorously, according to current official reports, and Italians admittedly have fallen back in the southern Tyrol before the Austrian onset.

The course of the operation is being closely watched in capitals of both the Entente and Central powers.

Military observers in Paris express confidence that the Italian defense will prevent the Austrian penetration into the Vicenza plain.

In the fighting around Verdun, the French, who have been restive under German occupation of parts of Hill 304, have now succeeded in partly ousting the Teutons.

Paris today reports the capture of a German fortified position on the northeast slope of the hill.

On the German side, an attempt was made by means of several attacks to capture a redoubt at Avo-court, on the French left flank, but the assaults are declared to have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Germans.

ONE AMERICAN FOUND GUILTY

Jeremiah Lynch, of New York, Guilty of Participating in the Dublin Riots.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, May 18. — Jeremiah C. Lynch, of New York, has been tried and convicted by court martial in Dublin on a charge of participating in the Irish rebellion.

The sentence was to be promulgated today, but no word has been received by the American Embassy here as to what sentence was imposed.

REPRESENTATIVE HAY
Has Charge of Compromise Army Bill In House.



GREAT MEETING OF CLUB WOMEN

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, May 18.—The club women of the country, two and a half million of whom are represented in the General Federation of Women's Clubs have perfected a plan for the greatest convention in the history of the Federation in New York this month. The dates are May 22 to June 8. During those seventeen days it is expected that fully 20,000 women representing clubs in every state in the union, as well as some from Alaska, Japan, England, Hawaii and South America will attend many of the innumerable meetings and social functions that have been arranged.

New York City this year is said to have more than 500 different conventions on its calendar but from all indications none will equal in attendance the gathering of women. Special sentiment is attached to the women's convention by the fact that although the Federation was founded here twenty-six years ago, it is the first time since then that the women have met in New York. It was "Jennie June" Croly, one of the founders of the Sorosis, the pioneer women's club in this country, who initiated the idea of a general convention of women's clubs in 1889, and the out come of this was the holding of the first convention of the General Federation in New York in the following year when 63 clubs were represented by 126 delegates and the Sorosis was hostess.

ASKS DIVORCE AND SUITABLE ALIMONY

In Probate Court, Norma Cline, represented by Post & Reid, has filed action against Ralph Cline for divorce, alimony and restoration to her former name of Norma White-side.

The action is the second filed by plaintiff, the former action having been dismissed at plaintiff's request soon after filed.

Plaintiff states that she was married to defendant in Newport, Ky., on March 16, 1914, and charges the defendant with gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty, claiming that he assaulted her, locked her in her room; commanded her to leave him, and made life unpleasant.

Plaintiff further claims defendant borrowed \$500 from her, which she alleges has never been returned. Plaintiff also claims there is due defendant from the C. E. Baughn estate the sum of \$4,000 to \$5,000, and that there is also due him other amounts from various persons which she avers defendant will collect unless prevented.

TO LOOK AFTER LARGE FAMILIES

(Associated Press Cable)

Paris, May 18.—"La Plus Grande Famille" (The Largest Family) is the title of an association just formed for the defense of the interests of fathers and mothers of families of five or more children in France. Its objects are explained to be the study of the rights and interests, moral and material of large families, to favor by propaganda all movements destined to further those rights and interests, and to aid materially the members of such families. One of its projects is a compensation reserved to families of seven or more children with prizes of five hundred francs to those that have the largest number of sons in the army.

SONS OF VETERANS.

There will be a meeting of the Sons of Veterans in Memorial Hall at 7:30 Friday night. Arrangements for Memorial Day will be perfected at this meeting and all Sons of Civil War Veterans who will participate in the observance of the day are asked to be present.

K. O. T. M. NOTICE

K. O. T. M. will hold a social session and entertainment at Odd Fellows Hall, Friday evening, May 19, for the Knights and Lady Macabees and their friends are specially invited.

Music by Horstmann and Miller. 117 t2

A "Hamilton" watch would make a fine graduation present for that boy. Hettesheimer, Jeweler, 116 t1

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Our large lines of Spring and Summer Hats—the newest ideas and the prettiest color combinations included in our May Sale in both women's and Children's Hats. You will be delighted with the

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\$4.95 \$5.25
\$8.45 \$9.45
\$10.45

May Sale In Waists

A large selection of preferred styles and beautiful shades at special prices. EXTRA SPECIAL

A very nobby line of waists in white, rose, lavender, green, pink—all shades—Crepe de Chine, Pussy Willow Taffeta, Crepes, Wash Silks. Your choice at **\$1.95**

We've received and placed in this May Sale a most beautiful line of

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The season's most fashionable garment—the CHINCHILLA COAT—in plain checks, plaids, stripes and assortment of novelty White Coats at **\$9.45**

Wonderful Line of White and Wash Dress Skirts

This includes those Stunning Sport Skirts so admired this season, and all the fashionable new Wash Materials. We are showing both the Woolltex and Marquise Pre-Shrunk, and you will find no prettier nor more stylish skirts and no such values.

May Sale Continued in Rugs, Curtains and Curtain Materials

And Large Lines of House Furnishings In Our Basement

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Tapestry Brussels	Body Brussels	Velvet, Wilton Velvet	Fibre Rug
\$11.95 \$13.45 \$15.49	\$17.95 \$28.95 \$31.45	\$40.95, \$41.45, \$48.45	\$4.95

SPECIAL SALE LACE AND NET CURTAINS

Scrim Curtains, plain and with hemstitched borders or lace trimmed	Marquise and Madras Curtains, white and cream, plain or lace edged and trimmed	Nottingham Curtains, best quality, cream and white, very special value	Cable Net and Novelty Curtains from
59c to \$1.00 pair	\$1.00 to \$3.50 per pair	50c to \$3.50	\$1.50 to \$10.00 per pair

We have a few pairs of Sample Curtains at Less Than Cost

MAKE YOUR MONEY GO TWICE AS FAR BY VISITING OUR MAY SALE

FRANK L. STUTSON

DIRECT ROUTE TO THE GREAT LAKES

Cincinnati, May 18.—The building operations of the Chesapeake & Ohio Northern from Portsmouth, O., to Waverly, O., including the bridging of the Ohio near Portsmouth, is rapidly taking shape and will be ready for occupancy January 1, 1917, according to A. L. Ellett, Assistant General Passenger Agent at Cincinnati.

The heavy grading necessary on both sides of the Ohio for the bridge approaches is nearly completed and piers are set on the river. The bridge steel work will begin next week. Bridge piers, masonry and abutments will be built for double track. The line will connect at Columbus with the Hocking Valley, a Chesapeake & Ohio subsidiary, and furnish a new line from West Virginia and Eastern Kentucky coal fields to the lakes.

Lake coal from the West Virginia and Kentucky mines now moving by way of Kenova and Norfolk & Western, and by way of Cincinnati and

the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton will be diverted to the new line and give the Chesapeake & Ohio a through line to Toledo, where the lake coal is dumped.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of C. E. Baughn, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Fannie Baughn has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of C. E. Baughn, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1916. RELL G. ALLEN, Judge of the Probate Court. No. 1918. Fayette County, Ohio.

FURNITURE REPAIRING.

I have opened a repair shop in the rear of Wonderland Theater (ally entrance) and will do cabinet work of all kinds. If you are going to have furniture made over it will pay you to see me. Work guaranteed satisfactory. 117 t6

W. C. LAPE.

Delicious brown cakes made from Mrs. Austin's Pancake Flour. adv.

Find it in the Classified columns.

BONDREAU IS IN

(By American Press)

Cleveland, May 18.—Dr. Frank G. Bondreau, Columbus, director of the division of communicable diseases of the state board of health, was elected executive secretary of the board to succeed Dr. E. F. McCampbell, now dean of the college of medicine of Ohio State university.

SKIN GRAFTING

(By American Press)

Cleveland, May 18.—Forty young women submitted to skin grafting operations as a desperate recourse to save the life of Mrs. Mayme A. Bennett, thirty, who was seriously burned when her clothing caught fire from an open grate. Each have given two square inches of cuticle.

BRITISH LOSE BOAT

(By American Press)

London, May 18.—A British official communication admits the loss of a small monitor as a result of the fire of Turkish batteries. Two men were killed and two wounded.

Classified advertising pays big.

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Paying the Cost

Financing a great nation's affairs under normal conditions is a tremendous task, but providing the finances for the great nations engaged in the European war, so as to meet all extraordinary expenses, plus the increase for the cost of the war, is a task, the equal of which the world has never seen.

While we all realize, in a general way, that the problem of finances is an intricate and tremendous one for the officials of the nations at war to solve, yet few of us have even a general idea as to how the needs are met and provided for.

Germany has thus far refrained from adopting any income tax plan but has raised her revenues entirely by borrowing. That plan means that later on Germany must meet the problem of actually paying the cost. Germany has been postponing payment of the bills.

Great Britain, by the adoption of a twenty-five per cent income tax, a tax on theater tickets, luxuries, automobiles and the like, is able to raise from the classes more able to pay, two and a half billion dollars a year or nearly one third the annual cost of the war. To that extent Great Britain is paying cash and the sum which Great Britain is paying now will reduce, just that much, the debt she must pay in the future.

To that extent too the British Empire realizes the cost of war.

Just the reverse is true in Germany where the pinch of actual payment has not yet brought the realization of the cost. The plan of Great Britain seems to be the better one of the two. It places the people in possession of the stern truth and it takes a large proportion of cost from those who can best afford to pay, leaving less to be juggled onto the poorer classes when peace comes.

The President Talks

Tuesday night President Wilson talked, confidentially and frankly, to the Washington correspondents gathered together at the National Press Club.

In his address the president made public an intimate review of his three years' service in the White House. It was another one of those clear cut, honest, simply expressed and logical reviews of events of momentous importance which have made President Wilson respected and loved.

Sometimes we active, impulsive people of the United States get a little impatient with the careful thoroughness of President Wilson, sometimes we disagree with him in this or that policy, sometimes we would have him move more promptly and speak a little more emphatically in insisting on the observance of our rights by the warring nations, but when we hear, from President Wilson, of the multitude of perplexing problems that have confronted him, when we realize, as he charged with so grave a responsibility has been compelled to, of unprecedented conditions of disturbance throughout the world, when we hear again his belief in peace and hear again the expressions of his desires to maintain peace with all the world so that this great nation may serve its purpose in the cause of humanity, our real American sense of fairness, our generosity and our kindly impulses compel a grateful acknowledgment of the great and patriotic services he has rendered to this whole people.

We can forget, very easily, some of the minor details about which we have disagreed and, by remaining uncompromising at least, assist him in his efforts to keep the nation at peace, to maintain the respect of the world and in condition to act when called upon.

We forget sometimes in the passion of the moment, that these are not normal times and war mad nations cannot be held to the strict accountability that would obtain in normal times.

President Wilson, fortunately, has never forgotten that.

That Gentlemen's Agreement

The gentlemen who are exceedingly expert in discovering secret news and in deducing facts of the utmost importance from "glittering generalities" spoken or written by overly cautious and non-communicative public officials, see clearly in the positive assurances of Washington officials that Carranza is acting in perfect good faith, proof that General Scott and Minister of War Obregon did finally conclude a "gentlemen's agreement" at their El Paso conferences.

There is something about this game of international diplomacy that is dark and mysterious. Few people outside the charmed circle understand much about, and those few do not care to learn much more.

While people of the United States are exceedingly patient they are growing fearfully wearied with this child's play to keep peace with Carranza.

It does seem that about the shortest cut to an agreement would be to announce that we started into Mexico to get Villa and when we get him we are through, not before.

But that's not diplomacy and judging from Carranza's attitude he is fond of diplomacy and we must play his game.

Whether we have a "gentlemen's agreement" or not is not important. Things seem to be moving along and that's the main item after all.

Poetry For Today

A MILE WITH ME.
 Oh, who will walk a mile with me
 Along life's merry way?
 A comrade blithe and full of glee
 Who dares to laugh out loud and free,
 And let his frolic fancy play,
 Like a happy child, through the
 flowers gay
 Where he walks a mile with me.

And who will walk a mile with me
 Along life's weary way?
 A friend whose heart has eyes to see
 The stars shine out o'er the dark-
 ening lea,
 And the quiet rest at the end of the
 day—
 A friend who knows and dares to say,
 The grave, sweet words that cheer
 the way
 Where he walks a mile with me.

With such a comrade, such a friend,
 I fain would walk till journey's
 end,
 Through summer sunshine, winter
 rain,
 And then?—Farewell, we shall
 meet again!

—Henry Van Dyke.

Weather Report

Washington, May 18. — Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana — Cloudy Thursday; showers at night or Friday.

Tennessee — Showers Thursday or Thursday night, or probably Friday.

West Virginia — Fair Thursday; Friday probably showers.

Lower Michigan — Generally fair Thursday and Friday, without much change in temperature.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Showers tonight or Friday.

Daily Calendar.
 From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 7:12; moon rises, 9:12 p. m.; sun rises, 4:40.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.
 (For 24 hours ending at 7 p. m.)
 Highest temperature 63.
 Lowest temperature 44.
 Mean temperature 54.
 Precipitation trace.
 Barometer 29.78. Rising.

ALLEN QUILTS

(By American Press)
 Washington, May 18.—Representative Alfred G. Allen of Cincinnati announced that he will retire from congress at the end of his present term, March 4, 1917, and that he will not attempt in any way to influence the nomination of a Democratic candidate for his seat. "It will be an open field as far as I am concerned," he said. He retires because he finds the duties of office too arduous. Charles H. Swain, former speaker of the Ohio legislature, and Vincent H. Beckman, president of the Duckworth club, are among those most prominently mentioned for the nomination.

BAD SMASH UP

(By American Press)
 Portsmouth, O., May 18.—Two persons were killed and four others injured when an auto skidded and overturned at Sciotoville, seven miles east of here. The dead: Mrs. Anna Burgess, twenty-three, and Grover Adkins, twenty months. The injured: Lucille Burgess, Harry Davis, Mrs. Sallie Adkins and Dave Ealey, driver. All were from Chinnville, Ky. Ealey was held by county authorities pending investigation of speeding charges.

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EXPECTED HOUSE TO APPROVE IT

Conference Report on Army Bill Agreed to By Senate.

AROUSED SPIRITED DEBATE

Irish, Mexican, Preparedness and Other Questions Dwelt Upon During Discussion of the Conference Report—Bill Provides For Regular Army of 211,000 and Federalized National Guard.

Washington, May 18.—Following prolonged debate, the senate agreed to the conference report on the army reorganization bill.

The house is expected to approve the report within a day or two.

The bill provides for a regular army of 211,000 officers and men at peace strength and approximately 200,000 at war strength, and for a federalized national guard of 457,000 officers and men at maximum strength.

Discussion of the conference report embraced a denunciation of Great Britain for execution of the Irish revolutionists, attacks upon the administration's Mexican policy, renewed assaults upon the national guard as a political force and vigorous criticism of the provision for a government nitrate manufacturing plant.

Senator Fall asserted that General Pershing, with the 14,000 troops at his command, could march on to Mexico City, taking every town with little trouble, if he were unhampered by orders from Washington, and that 90 per cent of the Mexican people would welcome such action. He also declared that representatives of General Carranza were negotiating with foreign governments against the United States.

Senator Borah of Idaho, renewing his attack on the national guard as a political force, declared that it would prove to be more detrimental to the United States than an invading army. He arraigned Great Britain for the Irish executions, declaring there had been no greater blow to free institutions since the European war began.

Senator Lodge and Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee also criticized the army bill, the former blaming the house for not accepting a larger regular army bill proposed by the senate, and the latter maintaining that the proposed army was too great. Senator Stone said he was so anxious to see the nitrate provision enacted that he would almost be willing to agree to any size army necessary, but insisted there was no need of an increased army.

PUT THROUGH

(By American Press)

Washington, May 18.—The flood control bill, providing appropriations for the Mississippi and Sacramento rivers, was passed by the house by a vote of 180 to 53. The bill now goes to the senate. It would authorize the expenditure of not exceeding \$45,000,000 for flood control and general improvement of the Mississippi river under the Mississippi river commission, and \$5,600,000 for flood control, removal of debris and general improvement of the Sacramento river, including continuance of the California debris commission plans. The expenditures are to be spread over a five year period.

The administration shipping bill was taken up in the house under a special rule which fixes 4 o'clock Friday afternoon for the vote on the measure and any amendments. Many speeches were made, Republicans generally being against the bill and Democrats for it. The Republicans charged the Democrats with putting through a gag rule, while the Democrats defended the rule as necessary to expedite a measure of the greatest importance to the country. The rule was adopted by a vote of 191 to 141, after an hour's discussion.

TROY COUPLE WED

(By American Press)
 Chicago, May 18.—Don L. Marshall, twenty-eight, and Helen Schauer, twenty-two, both of Troy, O., were licensed to marry here.

Days You'll Never Forget



THE DAY YOU
 PLAYED THE
 BANK-ROLL AGAINST
 THE CIRCUS LEMONADE

RAYMOND FREEL

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jennie Cox, deceased.
 Notice is hereby given that Bertha E. Cox has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Jennie Cox, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.
 Dated this 10th day of May, 1916.
 RELL G. ALLEN,
 Judge of the Probate Court,
 No. 1915. Fayette County, Ohio.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Ellis A. Ramsay, deceased.
 Notice is hereby given that Richard S. Ramsay has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Ellis A. Ramsay, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.
 Dated this 8th day of May, 1916.
 RELL G. ALLEN,
 Judge of the Probate Court,
 No. 1914. Fayette County, Ohio.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Edward Pfeiffer, deceased.
 Notice is hereby given that Edgar Coil has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Edward Pfeiffer, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.
 Dated this 6th day of May, 1916.
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APPEALS COURT REVERSES DECISION IN DAMAGE CASE

\$20,000 Damage Suit of Frank M. Allen Against T. T. Smith, of Leesburg, Will Be Tried Again in Common Pleas Court as Result of Findings of Appellate Court.

Holding that the lower court erred in the case of Frank M. Allen against T. T. Smith, of Leesburg, in which the former brought action against the latter for \$20,000 damages for injuries received when the plaintiff's horse became frightened at defendant's automobile, the Court of Appeals reversed the judgment of the lower court and has remanded the case back to the Court of Common Pleas for a new trial.

The case in question has been tried in the Common Pleas Court upon three occasions, and in the first two trials the jury disagreed, while in the last trial the jury returned a verdict for the defendant, and the case then was carried up on error.

The charges of negligence against the defendant were: Speed excess of 20 miles per hour. Failure to give two-thirds of the road. Excessive speed and failure to use due care under the circumstances.

The appellate court held that the court erred in its charge to the jury, and that the violation of the statutory regulation of speed is considered negligence in itself, and that it only remained for the plaintiff to prove that such negligence was the proximate cause of the injury. That the inference that the automobile was entitled to one-half of the road was incorrect, the statute providing that an automobile must give two-thirds of the road. That the road at the point where the accident occurred was approximately 20 feet, and not too narrow for the machine to pass on one-third of the road.

Other holdings of the appellate court in the case were; that the evidence tended to prove that the defendant failed to give two-thirds of the road, but on the contrary, kept the main part of the road, crowding the plaintiff off. That "the evidence tending to prove negligence on the part of the defendant was, in our judgment, sufficient to require the case to go to the jury upon that issue."

Evidence tending to show contributory negligence upon the part of the plaintiff was mentioned.

Attorneys in the case are John Logan and H. H. Sanderson for plaintiff and Post and Reid for defendant.

REAL JUNIOR CHAUTAUQUA FOR THIS CITY

Miss Edith Harper, of Swarthmore, Pa., Has Completed Organization Which Holds Great Possibilities for Local Young Folks This Summer.

It is now practically an assured fact that Washington, this summer, will have a Junior chautauqua, a small addition of the one the big folks are going to have and conducted at the same time in the same manner.

That's good news. Miss Edith Harper, of Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, has been in the city several days promoting the plan and organizing the forces which are to make it a big success.

The plan of Miss Harper has been submitted to the school teachers and to the pupils. It met with an enthusiastic reception and the organization has already been perfected which insures that the hope will be realized.

It is planned for the Juniors to meet every morning from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock on the Chautauqua grounds. Games will be played, stories told and in and through it all will run the wholesome plan of planting the seeds of good thoughts and the forming of right habits of life. All boys and girls from 6 to 14 years of age are eligible to participate. All of them are going to earn the money to pay for their tickets too.

A big play will be staged on the final day of the session. The Juniors will be organized into a self governing body. There will be four commissions for public betterment—one on law and order, one on thrift, one on health and one on cleanliness.

Town meetings will be held every day and the boys and girls take a real part in public affairs.

The Junior motto:
"I am proud of my town;
Is my town proud of me?"
is an indication of the scope, purpose and possibilities of the organization.

Our own Junior order will be in competition with those of other towns in the circuit and to the most effective working body will be awarded a banner which, in the pleasing letters emblazoned thereon, will announce to the world the wholesome compliment that the possessors are 100 per cent of a real, live, ideal and practical chautauqua force.

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WILL OF LATE JOHN VAN DEMAN

A copy of the last will and testament of the late John N. Van Deman, filed in the Probate Court of Montgomery County, has been filed in the Fayette County Probate Court.

The instrument is dated July 15, 1910, and the testator's widow is made executrix of the will, without the necessity of giving bond.

After providing for the payment of all debts, and urging his daughters, if unmarried at the time of his death, to stay at home with their mother, the testator bequeaths to the widow, all notes, accounts, moneys, proceeds of life or accident insurance, and all other personal property. To the widow also is given the real estate during her lifetime, with power to sell same if she so desires. The widow at death is to provide by will for the passage of the personal property to the children.

At the death of the widow, all real estate is to be sold and the proceeds divided among the children, \$2000 each going to Alfred N., Frank L., William H., Margaret, Bess and Stanley. To the daughter-in-law, Bird Kinnear Van Deman, her son, Raymond, and to Elizabeth, daughter of William H., and to John Newton, son of Frank, is given \$300 each. All of the rest of the estate, including residue from realty, is to be equally divided among the children, Frank L., William H., Margaret V., Nemes, Bessie V. Griswold and Stanley B.

Provision is made for disinheriting any child or grandchild who would attempt legal proceeding in connection with the will.

THIRD REGIMENT TO RECRUIT FULL FORCE

The Third Regiment of the O. N. G. has been ordered to recruit up to full strength, and as a result new recruits are being solicited by every company in the regiment.

No reason has been given for the action, but coming soon after the visit of General Hough to Washington, guardsmen are giving the affair quite a little attention, believing that the request of the O. N. G. to be sent to the front is about to be granted.

TO ORGANIZE LODGE OF ROYAL NEIGHBORS

The work of organizing the Royal Neighbors of America lodge in this city is now under way, and Miss Rosa Tuvell, Recorder of Camps, Washington C. H., R. 9, is now obtaining members and expects to have a goodly number to report when the organization takes place.

The lodge, which is the auxiliary lodge of the Modern Woodmen, is expected to open with a large enrollment, and for the next 30 days the names of eligibles will be taken by Miss Tuvell.

FESS DECIDES TO RUN THIRD TIME

Congressman Fess has announced his candidacy for a third term for Congress from this district.

The district is composed of Fayette, Clinton, Greene, Madison, Clark, Union, Warren, Champaign and Logan counties.

It is understood that he will have opposition in the Republican primary.

HEAVIER STEEL IS BEING LAID ON THE PENNSY

The work of laying heavier steel on the Pennsylvania railroad, in this city, is now under way, and it is the intention to supplant the present 65 pound rails with 85 pound rails from one of the main lines of the Pennsylvania system. The heavier steel is to be laid on the main track through the yards in this city.

Similar work is to be taken up at other points along the line, and the light steel, which in many places is becoming badly worn, is to give way to the 85 pound rails.

It is expected that within the next few days the work will be finished in this city.

On the eastern part of the division several miles of the heavier steel is being laid, and it is the intention of the company to, in the near future, lay the heavier steel throughout the division, so that much heavier trains may be run over the road.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT NARROWLY AVERTED

An accident which came near resulting seriously for those concerned, occurred at the intersection of North and Temple streets at 11:30 a. m., Thursday, when one of the girls of the high school was struck by a motorcycle ridden by Floyd Miller and another youth.

Miller approached on Temple street

from the west as the pupils were pouring across the street from one sidewalk to the other, and, according to one of those who saw the mishap, blew the motorcycle horn to give warning. A moment later the girl stopped directly in front of the machine and was hurled several feet to the ground. Both riders of the machine were thrown violently, and the girl and two boys were badly shaken up and bruised.

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TRUSTEES MEET AT THE Y. M. C. A.

The Board of Trustees of the Y. M. C. A. held an interesting session Wednesday night, and took up plans for the coming year.

Reports made showed that at the end of April the membership was composed of 234 men and 88 boys. Memberships for the year totaled \$1600.

Reports showed 331 occupants in the dormitory for the year, bringing in \$2249.66. The Women's Auxiliary raised in excess of \$200 the past year.

In the making up of the budget for the coming year the Board allowed \$6,230 for expenses in operating the institution. Last year the allowance was \$6,060.50, of which \$5750.70 was used.

COMPANY M WANTS FIFTEEN MORE MEN

Company M, acting under orders from Adjutant General Hough, is recruit to full peace strength of 50 men, and as the company now has 35 men, an additional 15 men will be recruited at once.

Men desiring to enlist will file an officer's duty at the Armory.

COLONIAL TODAY AND TOMORROW

They said he was no good so they sent him to the slums to earn a living. There he accomplished a wonderful feat—he made those rickety wrecks shriek with laughter. He had a system all his own which would make even you laugh, and if you want to spend a really enjoyable evening just MAKE IT A POINT to see

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In Social Circles

The May Meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary Society was a most enjoyable one, Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Martin Hamm. Assisting Mrs. Hamm as entertainers were Mesdames Manning, Edge, Harry Sprenger, Woodward, Colaw, Barger, Thompson, Schmidt, Murphy, Leland, Sturgeon.

The meeting opened by singing "I Need Thee Every Hour," and Scripture lesson given by the president, Mrs. Hopkins. Mrs. Woodward gave the secretary's report of last meeting; Mrs. Hitchcock, the treasurer's report and Mrs. Plyley report of literature.

The president announced that the Washington society would entertain the next Presbyterian meeting in April, 1917. The program committee for next year was approved, as follows: Mesdames Harry Sprenger, Maude Howland, Regina Staibus.

The Presbyterian meeting held in Chillicothe, April 20th, was well worth the interesting report given by delegates, Mrs. Woodward, and Mrs. Plyley of special addresses by Mrs. Hankemeyer, of New York Board; Rev. Geo. Gelwick, of China; Miss Kield of the Home Synodical work and Mrs. Wishard of India.

Mrs. Hopkins supplemented these reports by much that was of interest both as to the new and old officers of the Presbyterian Society, especially referring to Mrs. Kaye, president for the past seven years; Mrs. Frank Fullerton, secretary for twice that number of years, and the newly elected president, Mrs. Shields of Hillsboro.

The program in charge of Miss Rose McLean was opened by a paper of great interest gathered by Mrs. Fullerton on Porto Rico with the San Juan Hospital and seventeen years of great work in school and church.

A beautiful duet, "Here Am I, O Lord Send Me," was sung by Mrs. Albert Barney and Miss Rogers. Miss Alta Sprenger gave a paper on "God's Own in Siam," a mission field of seven and a half million people, but where big strides are making toward Christianity.

The large attendance at the meeting showed interest in the world's work that is being taken up and a little social time after with light refreshments made it all very complete.

A jolly picnic was given Wednesday afternoon at Cherry Hill school by the girls of the C. H. C. club and given especially for the boys of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Lots of fun was in the program, all sorts of games came first and then the boys gave a ball game for the girls, as a special honor. A number of "stake offs" were a part of the program and the seventy young people made a fine afternoon of it. All the teachers of Cherry Hill were included and an elegant lunch made the affair most complete.

Miss Pauline Pine is especially in charge of the C. H. C. Club.

Miss Nell Mickel pleasantly entertained with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Mark whose marriage to Mr. Gilbert Freshour will take place in the near future.

The afternoon was spent in guessing contests in which Miss Hazel McCord and Mr. C. O. Deere won the prizes.

This was followed by a delicious lunch after which the bride-to-be opened the many and beautiful presents with becoming blushes.

Miss Mark was wearing purple messaline with a lace waist trimmed in yellow rose buds. Miss Mickel was wearing a pink flowered organdie trimmed in bands of black velvet.

There were about 30 guests present.

Miss Mickel was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Emma Mickel, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Mickel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sturgeon of Rock Bridge road, delightfully entertained with a family dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Mazie, and Mrs. Sturgeon's sister, Mrs. Ina Markley, of Canton, O.

An elaborate menu was served and carnations and greenery prettily used in decoration.

The additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Omar Sturgeon and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Sturgeon, Rev. Chas. L. Pfaltzgraf and family of Good Hope.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. Wert Shoop is in from the West for several days' stay.

Mr. J. W. Southard made a business trip to Jeffersonville Thursday.

Miss Helen Harper is the guest of Miss Dorothy Smith, in Bainbridge.

Mr. Frank Jackson spent Thursday in Columbus on business.

Mrs. B. F. Jacobs and daughter Miss Pauline were shopping visitors here today.

Mr. J. H. Culhan was up from Maple Grove Thursday looking after business interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hettesheimer motored to Chillicothe Thursday to see the Ringling Bros. Circus.

Mrs. F. M. McCoy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clay Johnson, in Dayton.

Mr. H. S. Shelton, of Dayton, president of the Ohio Retail Merchants' Association, was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Engle were among Washington visitors in Chillicothe to see the Ringling Bros. Thursday.

Misses Sue Putman, Jean Palmer, Messrs. Dick Saxton and Earl McCoy motored to Chillicothe for the evening performance of Ringling Bros. circus.

Mrs. G. E. Emmons returned this morning to her home in Burr Oak, Mich., after a week's visit with her husband here.

Mrs. Foster Lane returned Thursday evening from a two weeks' visit at the home of her uncle, Mr. O. W. Loofborow, in Columbus.

Mr. Earl Peterson left Thursday for a visit in Aurora, Ind. before going on to Cleveland to take his new position with the H. and E. Shoe Store.

Miss Nina Combs, a graduate from the Greenfield Business College, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Combs of Washington C. H., has accepted a position as stenographer in Springfield, O.

Dr. John Little and sons of Cynthiana spent several hours with friends in this city Thursday, enroute to Westerville, for a visit with Dr. Little's sisters, Misses Madge and Blanche Little.

Dr. and Mrs. George Kerr, of Lily Chapel, were guests here Thursday, enroute to Wilmington to attend the commencement. Dr. Kerr's brother, Kenneth, is one of the graduates. Mrs. Josephine Kerr is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Galvin, in Wilmington, for the commencement.

Miss Bess Cleveland has received the sad news of the death of Mrs. Swope, which occurred in Cleveland,

Wednesday. Mrs. Swope's daughter, Miss Bertha Swope, a teacher in the East Cleveland, Ohio schools, has visited here frequently. Miss Cleveland will attend the funeral services at Greenville, the old home of Mrs. Swope, on Friday.

Quite a number of motoring parties were in Chillicothe Thursday for the Ringling Bros. circus. Among them were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Cox, Mr. Howard Porter; Mr. A. C. Henkle and family; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coffey and son Clark; Mr. H. R. Rodecker and family; Mr. Ben Jamison, Mr. Os. Briggs; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greiner, Mrs. R. M. Hughey, Miss Ustick, Mr. Erk Edwards.

CHAUTAUQUA PLANS

Nearly two-score persons attended the Chautauqua Guarantors' meeting at the High School building, Wednesday night, and deep interest was taken in the proceedings.

Miss Edith Harper, in charge of the Junior Chautauqua, was present and explained the new feature of the chautauqua, and how it benefits the school children.

Everything connected with the big chautauqua is moving forward very nicely, and those in charge have reason to believe that the attendance this year, owing to the superior nature of the attractions booked, will by far exceed any previous chautauqua.

CARD OF THANKS.

Dr. Ernest Mark and wife, the son and sisters of Edgar Mark, sincerely thank the neighbors, friends, minister, undertaker Mr. McCoy, pallbearers and for the beautiful flowers for their kindness and sympathy in their time of sorrow and bereavement.

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ANOTHER ONE NOT TIME YET

(By American Press)

Rome, May 18.—There is good reason to believe that Pope Benedict is convinced that neutral mediation is unlikely to lead to peace, even if it should be solicited by Austria and Germany, since the allies are bound to refuse to consider peace conditions offered by the central powers. The entente powers feel, it is believed here, that the mere fact of an initiation of pour parlors would be misinterpreted as weakness and exhaustion. The pontiff is said to be convinced now more than ever that any attempt at mediation would be useless, and hence will refuse to assume any initiative. He is, however, striving to facilitate a direct exchange of ideas.

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UNSTINTED PRAISE GIVEN BY BUCYRUS

Lodge and Press of Northern City Profuse in Extending Compliments to the "Hundred Men Who Came a Hundred Miles."

The Bucyrus Evening Telegraph of Wednesday, May 17, devotes over two full columns of space to a splendid account of the visit of the Washington C. H. Lodge of Elks to Bucyrus last Tuesday.

There is scarcely a deserved compliment in the whole list which is not handed to the local lodge and as the enterprise, spirit and determination of the high class men who made the trip Tuesday is deserving of great praise and almost every compliment we can readily understand why it required two columns to say all the nice things.

To begin with the article takes it for granted that Washington Court House lodge is going to have a new home and then, quite logically, proves that the spirit and good fellowship which brought "a hundred men a hundred miles" over muddy roads and through rain and storm in happy frame of mind as though nothing out of the ordinary had been encountered is the spirit which will certainly build the new Elks' home in Washington C. H.

And it will, too.

Among the local men who responded, after the luncheon with appropriate remarks were District Deputy Jess W. Smith (to whom, by the way the Bucyrus lodge paid a high tribute) M. S. Daugherty, Frank A. Chaffin, Wm. Worthington and Hon. Frank C. Parrett.

The Bucyrus lodge officers and members and the press of the city speak in high terms of the responses made and the personnel of the visiting party.

The visit proved the inspiration too for a splendid editorial in the Telegraph instancing the beautiful new Elks' home in Bucyrus as a refutation of the statement that "it can be done."

When Bucyrus lodge first inaugurated the movement to build an Elks' home many said "it can't be done" and the editorial writer of The Telegraph then proves that it could be done for it was done.

The lesson is that spirit and determination made easily possible for the optimistic that which the pessimist said was impossible.

The Bucyrus Elks had the same spirit when they determined to build a new home that Washington lodge proved to Bucyrus that it possesses now—the spirit which brought "a hundred men a hundred miles."

EXPECT CALL OF NATIONAL GUARDS

Cincinnati, O., May 18.—If coming events cast their shadows before, then there seems to be a likelihood the Federal Government contemplates calling out the militia of several Eastern states in the near future. Both the Erie Railroad and the New York Central Lines have issued orders that all available tourist cars are to be rushed to the Eastern seaboard as quickly as possible. It is understood other Eastern systems also have given out orders of a like nature.

So far as Cincinnati railroad officials know, the cars are to be used to transport troops to the Mexican border. Tourist cars are little used in Eastern territory of late years, practically all of them being in operation in the south and west of the Mississippi River.

The sudden call for all available cars to be sent to points in New Jersey and New York indicates, according to the officials, that there will be some important developments shortly in the Mexican situation.

B. H. MILLIKAN POST.

No. 92, Department of Ohio G. A. R. will meet in regular session Saturday afternoon, May 20, 1916 at 1:30 o'clock.

Let each member of the Post interest himself in securing a good attendance.

I. N. ROWE, Post Com.

R. H. HARROP, Adjt.

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HOW LONDON VIEWED RAID OF ODD FELLOWS

Following is the London Democrat's write-up, in part, accorded the big meeting of Odd Fellows in London, Monday evening:

"Odd Fellows had the right of way in the old town, Monday, when they inaugurated one of their numerous big events by an automobile parade over the principal streets, in which about a half hundred cars participated.

"Music for the parade was furnished by the London Cadet Band which was seated in a huge auto van that had brought the paraphernalia of the Imperial First degree staff of Temple Lodge No. 227, of Washington C. H., to London, Monday morning.

"It would be impossible to excell the work of the visiting degree staff, which, indeed, is exceedingly beautiful, and very impressive. H. D. Chaffin, captain of the Imperial team has every member of it drilled to a high degree of perfection, and he is very capable in all his parts.

"The lodge room was taxed to its capacity, there being about 500 present to witness the conferring of the first on the candidates. Visitors were present from South Vienna, Lilly Chapel, South Charleston, West Jefferson, Catawba, Mechanicsburg, Derby and Sedalia."

BRITAIN LOOKS TO THE FUTURE

(Associated Press Cable)

Hobart, Australia, May 18.—Sir Rider Haggard, the British novelist and authority on land settlement who was recently dispatched from England to inquire into the placing of British soldiers and sailors on farm in the Overseas Dominions after the war, has arrived here and taken up the project with the government, press and people of Australia. Sir Rider found that a number of schemes for the return of soldiers to the land were already being considered here, one of the latest being to furnish such men with farms in the federal capital area at Canberra, having them in return pledge themselves to serve the

RUSSIAN FARMERS ON WAY TO U. S.

(By Associated Press Cable)

Yokohama, Japan, May 18.—The steamer Sado Maru which sails today for Canada and the United States carries eighty-five Russian farmer who are seeking occupation in America. They say they are leaving Russia owing to the depressed conditions prevailing in their villages of Siberia.

PEACE TALK AGAIN

(By American Press)

Washington, May 18.—The cables are bringing from the old world to Washington stories of the prevalence of peace talk in every capital of Europe. If President Wilson should receive private advices that the allies would be willing to talk peace terms with representatives of the central powers he would propose that the United States take the initiative in arranging a peace conference in some neutral country.

FOR FULL TICKET

(By American Press)

New York, May 18.—Members of the executive committee of the Progressive party met here to discuss the state ticket for the November election. It was stated at the conclusion of the meeting that sentiment was strong for a full ticket and an active campaign.

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HERRICK STATEMENT

(By American Press)

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AUTHOR OF "WHISPERING SMITH," "THE MOUNTAIN DIVIDE," "STRATEGY OF GREAT RAILROADS," ETC.

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SYNOPSIS.

Little Helen Holmes, daughter of General Holmes, railroad man, is rescued from imminent danger on a scenic railroad by George Storm, a newsboy. Grown to young womanhood, Helen saves Storm, now a fireman, her father, and his friends. Amos Rhineland, financier, and Robert Seagrue, promoter, from a threatened collision. Safebreakers employed by Seagrue steal General Holmes' survey plans of the cut-off line for the Tidewater, fatally wounding the general and escape. Her father's estate badly involved by his death, Helen goes to work on the Tidewater. Helen recovers the survey plan from Seagrue, and though they are taken from her, finds an accidentally made proof of the survey blueprint. Storm is employed by Rhineland. Spike, befriended by Helen, in his turn saves her and the right-of-way contracts when Seagrue kidnaps her. Helen and Storm win for Rhineland a race against Seagrue for right-of-way. Helen, Storm and Rhineland rescue Spike from Seagrue's men. Spike steals records to protect Rhineland, and Storm and Helen save Spike from death in the burning courthouse. Vain in Superstition mine pinches out. Seagrue sells it and sells it to Rhineland. The mine is relocated. Rhineland gives Helen and George each one-third of the Superstition mine stock. Seagrue's scheme to prevent payment for the mine is spoiled. Helen, restored to home and social position, saves her departing guests from a threatened collision by a wild ride.

(Continued from Yesterday's Herald)

When the young engineer returned to consciousness, Helen was raining tears and kisses on his upturned face. He lay under the trestle, freed from the cords that had so nearly caused his death, mine men and the guests of the day crowding around. He staggered to his feet and greeted his deliverer.

"They had Spike, too," he said, speaking rapidly to Helen. "We must find him before he is smothered." There was no need for her to answer. Spike spoke for himself. "And what I want to do," he said with heat, when he had told Storm the story, "is to get that Special back to the bridge and get after the guy that roped me."

The neighborhood was scoured for a sign of their assailants. They found where the taxicab had stood in which Seagrue's pair had come up. But the two had long ago made their escape and were running back to town to report to their employer.

Hastening up the stairs, looking guiltily over their shoulders as if fearful of immediate apprehension for their crime, Ward and Adams burst into Seagrue's room.

Seagrue was in waiting. "We got Storm," Ward began. "Good!" cried Seagrue. "Spike got away!"

Seagrue struck his fist into his open hand. "I wanted that fellow worse than the other," he muttered between his teeth. For another moment he stood deep in thought. Then he turned savagely on Ward. "If Spike escaped, he will be at Helen's home. We will get him there." Ward nodded as coolly as if a further crime were a mere



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RESCUE PRISONERS OF BANDITS

Two Americans Rescued By Laaghorne's Troops.

OUTLAWS ELUDE PURSUERS

Jesse Deemer, a Texan and Former Ohioan, and Monroe Payne, a Negro Cook, Found at El Pino, Where They Had Been Left by the Mexicans Who Raided Glenn Springs. Expedition May Be Withdrawn.

San Antonio, Tex., May 18.—Major George T. Langhorne, reporting to Colonel Sibley, announces the rescue of Jesse Deemer, the storekeeper and a former Ohio man, and Monroe Payne, the negro cook, who were carried across the border by bandits when they raided Glenn Springs and Boquillas, Tex., two weeks ago.

Major Langhorne reported that he was endeavoring to overtake the bandits, who had eluded him at El Pino, from where he sent the report and where he found Deemer and Payne.

Officers here regarded it as probable that a successful encounter with the bandits would bring the expedition to an end and not at all improbable that failure to overtake them would also be followed by a recall. It was explained that the four troops of cavalry and the machine gun company operating under Colonel Sibley was inadequate for extended operations.

Deemer and Payne had been left at El Pino by the retreating bandits, with instructions to the residents that they be killed if an attempt at rescue was made. The villagers refused to obey instructions, professing their friendliness to the Americans when they entered the town.

S. F. Seifer, an American, who arrived at Eagle Pass from Torreon, was credited in a special dispatch as saying that 800 Yaqui troops started north three days ago, with the avowed intention of "wiping out Colonel Frederick Sibley's command." He also was quoted as saying the Carranza and Villa troops in the vicinity of Torreon were uniting "to go after the Gringos."

General Funston said he assumed that the movement of the 800 troops is nothing more than a part of General Obregon's plan to police the district south of Boquillas.

A dispatch from Marathon says: Major Langhorne and two troops of cavalry surrounded the Mexican bandits who raided Glenn Springs about 125 miles from the border, killing six and capturing seventy-five, according to a truck driver arriving from Boquillas. Army officers here have made no announcement regarding the reported engagement.

REAL OFFENSIVE BY AUSTRIANS

Capture Italian Trenches and 6,000 Officers and Men.

London, May 18.—From the Tonale Pass region in western Trentino to Monfalcone, a short distance from the head of the Gulf of Trieste, the Austrians are vigorously on the offensive against the Italians. In the Tyrol, to the south of Trent, heavy infantry attacks to the east of the Adige river have forced the Italians again to abandon some of their advanced positions and resulted in the capture by the Austrians of an aggregate of 141 officers and 6,200 men. In addition, 13 guns and 17 machine guns were captured.

Vienna says that south of Rovereto the Austrians stormed Zegnartia, but Rome asserts that the five attacks launched were put down with heavy casualties.

Fights of minor importance with the advantage in favor of the Russians have taken place on the northern end of the Russian front. In Asiatic Turkey, around Diarbekr, the Turks again assumed the offensive against the Russians, but again met with a repulse.

The French are showing activity along the Lake Doiran and other sectors of the Serbo-Greek frontier, having occupied Devetepe and pushed their forces eastward toward Monastir.

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BASE BALL

(By American Press)

Washington, May 18.—Washington won its fourth straight game from Detroit. Harper became wild toward the end of the game and was succeeded by Ayers. Score:

	R	H	E
Detroit	0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0

Batteries—Dubeu, James and Stanage; Harper, Ayers and Henry.
American League.
AT PHILADELPHIA— R. H. E.
St. Louis 0 2 2 1 0 0 1 0 0—7 11 0
Philadelphia 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—4 10 3
Batteries—Davenport and Hartley; Crowell, Sheehan, Bresler and Schang.
Other game postponed; rain.

CLUBS	W	L	P	CLUBS	W	L	P
Cleveland	19	9	679	Detroit	13	16	443
Washington	18	9	667	Chicago	12	15	439
N. York	13	12	529	Phila.	10	16	383
Boston	13	12	500	St. Louis	9	16	359

National League.
AT CHICAGO— R. H. E.
Brooklyn 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 10 1
Chicago 1 0 0 3 2 0 1 0—7 11 2
Batteries—Pfeffer, Malts and Miller; Packard and Archer.

AT CINCINNATI— R. H. E.
Boston 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—7 12 1
Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 4 5
Batteries—Hughes and Gowdy; Toney, Dale and Wingo.

AT ST. LOUIS— R. H. E.
New York 0 1 4 3 0 0 0 1—9 14 1
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 7 5
Batteries—Anderson and Rariden and Dood; Doak, Meadows, Steele and Broten and Snyder.

CLUBS	W	L	P	CLUBS	W	L	P
Brooklyn	13	8	619	St. Louis	14	14	509
Boston	13	8	619	Cin'ti	12	17	411
Phila.	13	10	565	N. York	9	13	409
Chicago	14	13	519	Pittsb'gh	11	16	407

American Association.
St. Paul, 2; Toledo, 4.
Kansas City, 4; Louisville, 2.
Milwaukee, 5; Indianapolis, 2.

CLUBS	W	L	P	CLUBS	W	L	P
Louisville	17	9	654	Toledo	10	10	509
Minne.	12	8	600	St. Paul	9	11	450
Columbus	12	8	600	K. City	10	14	417
Ind'ls	13	10	515	Milw'kee	6	20	231

FLYERS BUSY

(By American Press)

Paris, May 18.—Unusual aerial activity is reported all along the French front, particularly in the regions of Verdun and Metz.

French aviators engaged in thirty-three aerial combats with German flyers and brought down three of their opponents' machines, the French aeroplanes all returning safely to their bases. A French squadron again bombarded the railway station of Metz le Sablon, just south of Metz. Bombardment squads also dropped bombs on enemy camps and railway stations in the region to the north and west of Verdun.

Heavy artillery fighting is reported on both banks of the Meuse, the sectors of Avocourt and Hill 304 receiving the brunt of the fire on the west bank and the Douaumont-Vaux line on the right bank.

A German detachment attempted a hand grenade attack on French positions at Le Mort Homme. The attack was preceded by heavy artillery bombardment, but was repulsed.

BITTER CONTEST

(By American Press)

London, May 18.—Sir Roger Casement and Daniel Bailey were committed for trial on charges of high treason by Sir John Dickinson, presiding magistrate, at the conclusion of their preliminary hearing. Both Sir Roger and his soldier confederate will now go on trial for their lives in the high court of justice. If convicted, they probably will be sentenced to death.

The magistrate's decision was announced after the crown had completed the framework of its case against the two accused men. Counsel for Casement and Bailey during the three days of the preliminary hearing contented themselves chiefly with cross-examining witnesses for the crown, reserving their actual defense for the trial later.

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FOR RENT—West half of brick flat, East Court street. City heat, both phones, hard and soft water in kitchen. Immediate possession. Phone or call on J. M. Baker. 104 tf

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FOR SALE — Couch, cheap for cash, 344 East street. 117 t6

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FOR SALE—Boiler Shell, 15 ft. 6 in. long by 4 ft. diameter; will make good culvert in large ditch. A. C. Henkle. 115 t6

FOR SALE—Chalmers roadster in good shape. Bargain. Price \$150. Hess Auto Exchange. 115 t6

FOR SALE—Good rubber tire buggy. J. E. Andrews, Jonesboro. 113 t6

FOR SALE—Bungalow on Draper street. C. A. Stafford. 113 t6

FOR SALE—Buick five passenger. Line shafting, hangers and pulleys. Inquire Herald Office. 113 t6

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FOR SALE — Saxon automobile, in good condition. Call Automatic 2101. 98 tf

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WANTED—To buy your old featherbeds. Haynes Furniture Company. 185 tf

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST — Auto tag No. 45883. Finder notify Dr. S. E. Boggs, Good Hope. 117 t2

LOST — Last Thursday, fountain pen. Finder call E. S. Norris, Automatic 9693. 115 t6

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Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, May 18. — Hogs — Receipts 21000—Market active—Light \$9.55@9.95; heavy \$9.55@10.05; pigs \$7.40@9.30.

Cattle — Receipts 3000—Market steady — Native beef cattle \$8.10@10.25; stockers and feeders \$6.00@8.80; cows and heifers \$4.40@9.50; calves \$8.00@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 9000—Market firm — Wethers \$7.85@10.10; lambs \$9.10@12.85; springs \$11.00@13.50.

Pittsburg, May 18. — Hogs—Receipts 3000 — Market lower—Heavies and heavy yorkers \$10.00; light yorkers \$9.65@9.75; pigs \$9.25@9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2500—Market higher—Top sheep \$8.75; top lambs \$10.90.

Calves — Receipts 300—Market steady—Top \$11.50.

East Buffalo, May 18. — Cattle—Market active and firm.

Veal — Receipts 75 — Market active—Quotations \$4.25@12.00.

Hogs — Receipts 2500—Market slow — Heavies and mixed \$10.25@10.30; yorkers \$9.85@10.25; pigs \$9.65@9.75; roughs \$9.00@9.50; stags \$6.50@7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 3000—Market active—Lambs \$7.00@11.15; yearlings \$6.50@9.75; wethers \$8.75@9.00; ewes \$4.00@8.50; sheep, mixed \$8.50@8.75.

Cleveland, May 18. — Cattle—Receipts 100—Market 10 to 15 higher.

Calves — Receipts 250—Market steady.

Sheep — Receipts 1000—Market strong.

Hogs — Receipts 2500—Market strong—Yorkers, heavies and mediums \$10.00; pigs \$9.50; roughs \$9.00; stags \$7.00.

Chicago, May 18. — Wheat—July \$1.12½; Sept. \$1.13½.

Corn—July 73½; Sept. 72½.

Oats—July 42½; Sept. 39½.

Pork—July \$23.57; Sept. \$23.25.

Lard—July \$12.90; Sept. \$13.00. Mrs. Austin's Pancake Flour. adv.

OLD LEAGUER SEEKS BERTH WITH LOCALS

The management of the Athletic Baseball Club is in receipt of a letter which has completely unsettled its official equilibrium, and local fans wise to its contents have started a flurry of speculation.

The letter is without precedent in local baseball history and is the first step in negotiations that may ultimately result in the signing up of a regular major leaguer for the Washington Athletic infield.

Al Bridwell, famous American shortstop and the pride of more than one major league club, is out of a job. But what is stranger yet, Al Bridwell wants a job with the Washington Athletics. This is the substance of the letter, which comes from Bridwell himself.

Bridwell has been a favorite in Class A baseball for several seasons. He first broke into the limelight as shortstop on the Columbus Association team. He was copped off by the Cincinnati Reds and was later traded to the New York Giants for a weighty cash consideration and two or three recruits. After a time Bridwell was transferred to the Chicago Cubs and last year was among the outlaws of the Federal Leaguers.

While not a "spring chicken," Bridwell is scarcely a "has been," and fans are anxious to see him annexed to the infield staff, for a try out, at least. With Corwin talking of taking up with Maysville again, it would seem a good preparedness measure to clinch onto Bridwell, if reasonable terms can be arrived at, to insure the safety of the infield defense; and even if Corwin should stick to the colors, Bridwell would undoubtedly be found useful at other infield positions.

In his letter, Bridwell asks also if steady employment could be found here for him, indicating his desire to remain in the city.

BOYS AND GIRLS URGED TO ATTEND

The Fayette County Fair Board has started a series of contests to be staged this summer under the direction of the Ohio State University. Prizes aggregating over three hundred dollars are offered to boys and girls whose ages range from ten to nineteen, who finish the courses offered by the University and show their product at the Fair.

The contests consist of the raising of pigs and poultry and canning and baking. Any boy or girl interested is urged to attend the meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday. The people in charge of the contest are planning to show the boys and girls a splendid time on that day.

DUTCH TREATERS' WEEKLY SESSION

Little business was transacted by the Dutch Treat Club at its Thursday noon session, which was attended by some 30 members.

Tom Clancy proposed the matter of open air band concerts during the summer, and this was taken under consideration until the next meeting.

Reports were received from various of the July 4th committees and progress was reported. The fair grounds have been obtained and arrangements made for a morning game of baseball on the Athletic field. A meeting of the various committees was called for Friday night at seven o'clock.

SPARK FROM ENGINE CAUSES FIRE ALARM

A spark from the engine of a small truck in the Gossard Garage about 2:30 Thursday afternoon, started a blaze among some oiled waste which was being used about the truck, but prompt use of a fire extinguisher put out the blaze without damage.

The fire department was summoned and a line of hose laid from the hydrant at the intersection of Fayette and Court streets, but no water was thrown.

PRESBYS STILL ARE UNBEATEN

The Presbyterians are still sitting tightly at the top of the average column of the Sunday school baseball league and are still boasting a record without defeat, although the Methodists came near breaking in on the chain of victory Wednesday evening.

Darkness prevented more than three innings and neither team scored until the third. The Methodists then lit in with both feet and slipped three over, to the consternation of the Presbys and their supporters but the latter came back like veterans and a little superior base running aided by a timely two sacker by Sheets did the work, four men crossing the home pan.

Gregg and Judy were the battery for the Presbyterians with Dawson on the rubber and Baker behind the club for the Methodists.

League Standing.

Team	Games	W	L	Pct.
Presbyterians	3	3	0	1000
Y. M. C. A.	3	2	1	667
Methodists	3	1	2	333
Christians	3	0	3	000

NOT MANY CONTESTS

Chicago, May 18.—When the Republican national committee begins sessions here June 1 to consider contested seats and other routine matters there will be a marked contrast from the famous meeting of four years ago, when several hundred seats were in dispute. This year only forty-four are involved, including the entire delegations from Georgia and Louisiana. Instead of the decision of the national committee in the contests having a direct bearing on the selection of the nominee this year, more than a majority of the delegates will have been elected at primaries. The national committee will also be called upon at its meeting to decide whether "double" delegations from a few states shall be given seats on the floor. In these cases twice the accredited number of delegates-at-large have been selected with a half vote each. The committee has not provided for seating double delegations.

With Secretary Reynolds and his staff working out the details and a large force of mechanics doing the physical work of transforming the Coliseum into a convention hall, the plans for the Republican national meet June 7 are rapidly taking form and all will be in readiness before the end of the month. Arrangements for the care and reception of delegates and visitors are more elaborate than ever before, according to Sergeant-at-Arms William F. Stone.

Never before in the history of political conventions have so many applications been made for admission tickets, and making provisions for those who would witness the stirring scenes incident to the selecting of the Republican nominee for president is proving the greatest task Secretary Reynolds has ever undertaken.

There will be between 9,000 and 10,000 tickets given out.

OHIO NEWS

Gasoline Explodes.

Chardon, O., May 18.—T. J. Penstock, tailor, was buried to death when a can of gasoline he was using to clean clothes exploded in his shop.

Court's Ruling Favors Finder.

Canton, O., May 18.—A decision has been rendered by the common pleas court of Stark county that the finder of money is the keeper, providing the loser is never discovered.

Two Men Wounded.

Lancaster, O., May 18.—Glenn Wilson, thirty-five, and George Tuttle, twenty-seven, a glassworker, are suffering from wounds in the leg, the result of a shooting fray in Wilson's cafe. Wilson attempted to act as peacemaker.

Crushed Between Cars.

Sandusky, O., May 18.—William Roderick, forty, of Oak Harbor, a freight conductor, was crushed between two cars in the New York Central yards here. He was taken to Providence hospital, where it is said he can not recover.

Report On Akron Disaster.

Akron, O., May 18.—That dynamite blasts, exploded within six feet of the ill-fated Crystal restaurant, which collapsed Monday evening, killing nine people and injuring nearly thirty, was the direct cause of the disaster, is expected to be the substance of the report of the state inspector, which will be forwarded to Columbus.

Death Calls Colonel Fisher.

Bucyrus, O., May 18.—Colonel Cyrus W. Fisher, eighty-one, died here of heart trouble. He leaves a widow and two children. Colonel Fisher was born Sept. 22, 1835, at Waynesville, Warren county, and enlisted in the Twenty-third Ohio as first lieutenant in 1861, and was promoted to be lieutenant colonel in 1862, serving with General W. T. Sherman and the Fifteenth army corps during the remainder of the war.

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New Peas 10c lb.	Green Beans 20c.
New Tomatoes 18c lb.	New Cabbage
Mangoes 3 for 10c	Carrots 5c bunch.

Apples 5c per pound, 50c peck.

Fine Oranges 20c, 30c, 35c, 45c, per dozen.

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You will have no trouble with your Coffee if you order Seal Brand, it is good in quality and taste, what a satisfaction it is to have a good cup of coffee for breakfast. Try a pound and be convinced.

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SUFFERS STROKE

Mr. James Marine, of near Rock Mills, is slowly recovering from a paralytic stroke suffered a day or two ago. He was at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Jones, when stricken, and fell from his buggy.

SEDALIA MERCHANT CALLED BY DEATH

Word was received this afternoon of the death of Mr. W. T. Hewitt, which occurred at his home in Sedalia this morning.

Mr. Hewitt, who was about 70 years of age has been in failing health for sometime past. He is survived by three sons, Frank, a piano merchant in Cincinnati, Palmer G., of Mt. Sterling, and C. C., of Sedalia.

Mr. Hewitt was one of the prominent citizens of this section, a retired grocer and business man of

large affairs. He was a member of Garfield Commandery Knights Templar of this city which will have charge of the funeral services at Sedalia, Saturday afternoon.

THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Extra fancy green beans 15c per pound. Green peas, 10c per pound, 3 pounds for 25c. New tomatoes, 12½c per pound. New potatoes, 2 pounds for 15c. Potatoes are fine. Radishes; lettuce, rhubarb, oranges; bananas; grape fruit; lemons; strawberries—this fruit is fine and cheap. Great big pineapples 15c each. Extra fine English walnuts, 20c per pound.

"Kllo," the great disinfectant, deodorizer, roach, bug and moth destroyer.

Our motto: "Quick Service, Good Goods, Low Prices."

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.
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Groceries and Queensware

Specials For Friday

5 cases large size Fancy Cuban Pineapples 14c each.

Argo Starch in 5 pound containers 19c.

One lot of Onion Sets. The last of the season. 25c pound.

We received this morning 15 crates of the best berries we have had this week.

Special for Friday 10c quart.

All kinds of seed, Sugar Corn, Peas and Beans in bulk.

Burpee's Stringless Green Pod Beans the finest grown.

DRESS SALE!

For one day only, SATURDAY, MAY 20
This day we will sell all Ladies', Misses' and Children's Dresses at Special Low Prices, and owing to the prices being so low they

Will be Only Good for the One Day, Saturday

Ladies' House Dresses, worth 75c, Saturday 43c
Ladies' House Dresses, worth \$1, Saturday 69c
Ladies' House Dresses, worth \$1.25, Saturday 79c
Misses 50c dresses from 6 to 14 Saturday 36c
Misses 90c dresses assorted patterns Saturday 59c
Misses \$1.25 dresses assorted patterns Saturday 79c
Childs dresses worth from 50 to 75c Saturday 34c

All shoes and slippers will sell at low prices, also Special Prices on Wall Paper

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